

## ABSTRACT

A method of manufacturing an electrode for an alkaline storage  
~~battery~~ battery, including a process of manufacturing a porous metal  
5 plate. A method of manufacturing this porous metal plate includes ~~a~~  
~~step of~~ adding a predetermined organic substance to a urethane sponge or  
~~a step of~~ coating a foamed urethane sponge with polyethylene  
terephthalate. Furthermore, the method includes ~~a step of~~ grinding the  
urethane sponge or rolling the urethane sponge using a roll press.